

Please reject the National Association of Broadcasters's petition 04-160 and continue to allow XM Radio to broadcast instant traffic and weather. XM is a great service to all subscribers, similar to cable television. Cable television is permitted to present local weather, and satellite radio should be permitted to do so as well. There is no reason, other than to protect non-subscriber radio from competition, to forbid XM Radio to broadcast its programming in whatever form that may be.